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## **PROVISIONAL ELECTION**

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Responsive to the July 1, 2004 restriction requirement in the above-identified patent application, applicants hereby provisionally elect, with traverse, the Group I **Claims 1-39** for continued prosecution in this application. Applicants acknowledge the temporary withdrawal from consideration of the non-elected Claims 40-76.

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